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IN THE DUEL BETWEEN ELETTRA AND ATY, ELETTRA TOOK ATY'S NECKLACE. WHAT IS THE SECRET BEHIND THIS NECKLACE? IN ORDER TO SAVE ALICE, WHAT REMAINS OF THE REFUGEES AND THE DEFECTIVES MUST PUSH TOWARDS THE MACHINE PEOPLE'S HEADQUARTERS. WHAT AWAITS THEM AT THE END OF THEIR JOURNEY? THE FINAL BATTLE BETWEEN HUMANITY AND BABY IS NOW.....

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終於到了最後一集，雖然只有五集卻著時花了很久的時間呢！真是抱歉！
接下來會儘快構思新作品，在新作與大家見面前，希望大家不要忘了我呀。

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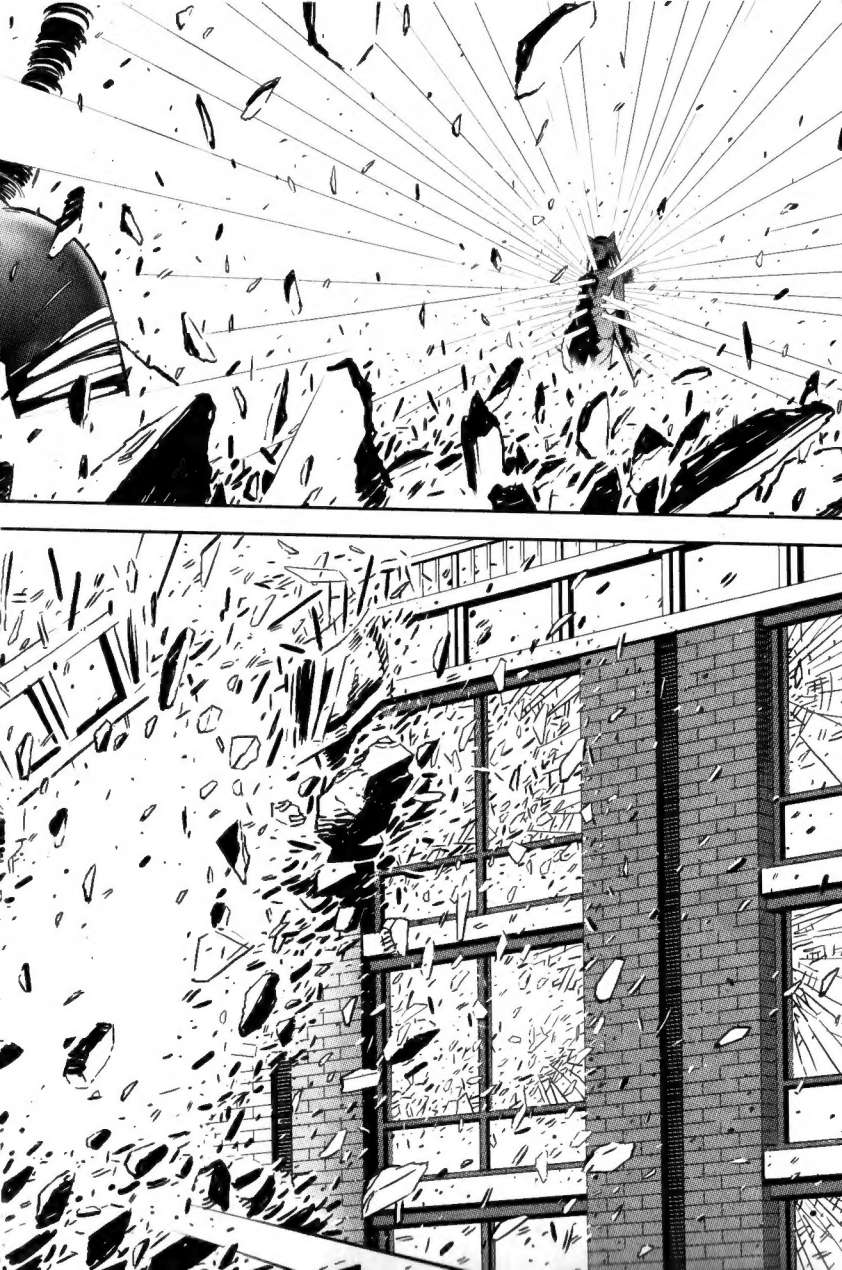

BOOM

GIVE MY NECKLACE BACK TO ME!

Chapter 22:
Human nature

GIVE MY NECK-LACE BACK NOW!
UH ...
BROTHER!
BROTHER!

DON'T SAY THAT! BROTHER, PLEASE, WE'VE GOT TO GO HOME!
ATY, DON'T COME CLOSER ...STAY AWAY!
I KNOW I DON'T! BUT IF IT'S DANGEROUS, I BEG YOU, LET'S GO TOGETHER!
NO!
YOU'VE GOT TO STAY AWAY FROM ME! AH! YOU DON'T UNDER-STAND!
CRACK!
I'M GOING TO DIE...AH ...AHHHH H.....

RUN AWAY NOW!
WHAT'S... HAPPEN-ING?
AHHH HHH .....
SCUTTLE!
WAA AAA .....

...BRO-
THER...

ROAR!

NO, NO! MY FATHER IS GONE, MY MOTHER IS GONE, NO MATTER WHAT YOU'VE BECOME... WE'LL GO BACK, TOGETHER! WE'LL GO TOGETHER...

WAH
.....
WHACK
NO!
DON'T!
SFX: WHOOSH
BANG

SFX: RATATAT
LITTLE GIRL! GET OUT OF THERE!
WATCH OUT! IT'S GOING TO CHARGE US!
BOOM

DING
...
OPEN FIRE! BRING IT DOWN!
SFX: RATATAT
NO... STOP!

STOP IT! STOP IT ALL!!
STOP!
I DON'T KNOW HOW LONG I CRIED...ALL I KNOW IS THAT MY TEARS WERE DROWNED OUT BY THE RAGING GUNFIRE AND DESTRUCTION...
THIS FRAGMENT IS THE ONLY THING THAT'S LEFT OF MY BROTHER..

THOSE POLICE OFFICERS, THEY EXECUTED MY ENTIRE FAMILY! I HATE THIS CURSED WORLD, I HATE HUMANITY, THE YOUTH OF THE WORLD SHOULD DISAPPEAR!
MY NECK-LACE ...
IT'S...THE ONLY THING I HAVE LEFT IN THIS WORLD!

IT'S HUMAN NATURE ...
AH ...
UH ...
ENOUGH! GIVE IT BACK!
UH!
ITS UNFORTUNATE WE HAD TO MEET LIKE THIS, I'M SORRY, BUT THIS IS THE END, ELETTRA!
SHEEN!

UH
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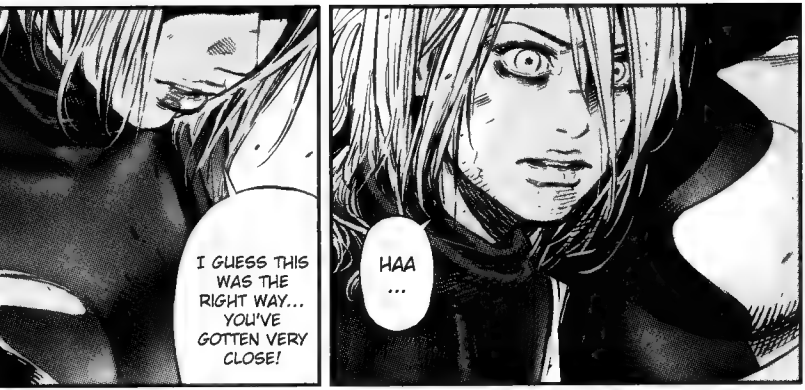
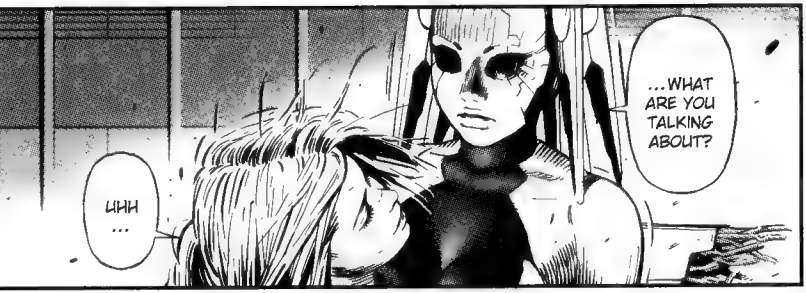

I GUESS THIS WAS THE RIGHT WAY... YOU'VE GOTTEN VERY CLOSE!
HAA ...


...WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
UHH ...

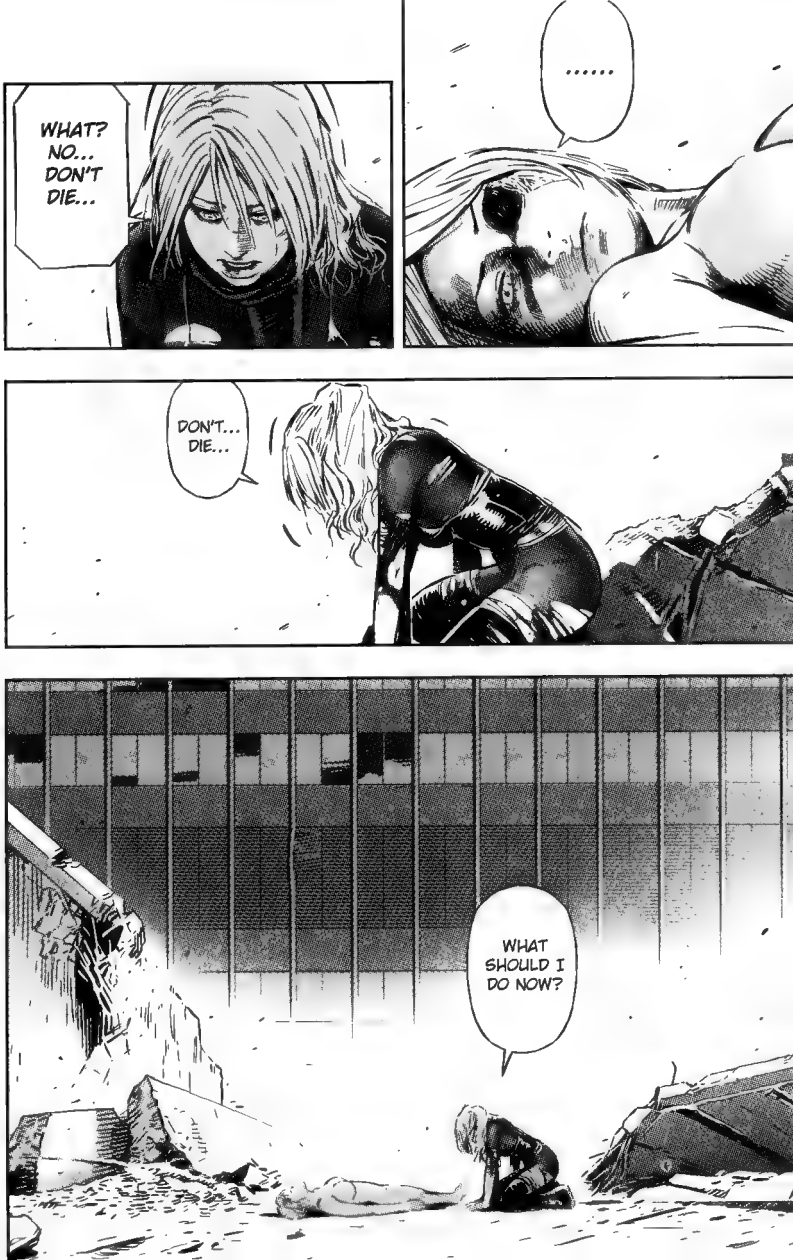
COUGH... DON'T YOU THINK...THAT YOUR HUMAN NATURE HAS RETURNED?
HERE ...

I BET... IT'S YOUR WEAK-NESS...
GRIP!
CLENCH!
YOU HATE THE WOUNDS OF THE WORLD!

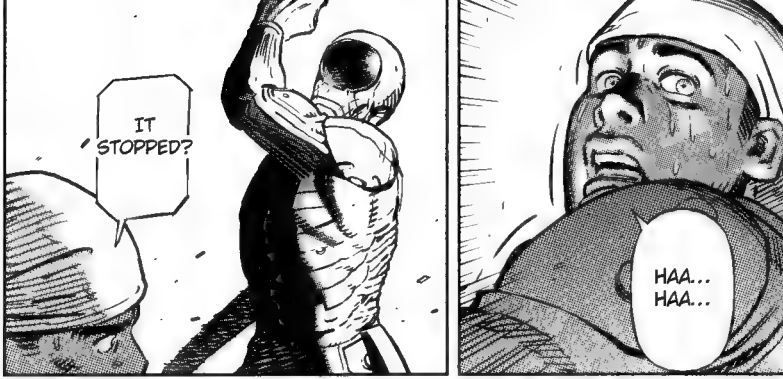
UH!
WHOOSH

UHH ...
AHH HHH!
HAA...I BET THIS IS GOING TO HURT...
YAA AA!

I NEVER EXPECTED IT TO TURN OUT LIKE THIS ...ELETTRA, WAS IT ALL WORTH IT?
TELL ME WHERE ALICE WAS TAKEN TO? AND WHO IS THIS MOTHER YOU SPOKE OF?
HAA... WAIT... YOU... CAN'T DIE YET!
ALICE...I'M AFRAID IT'S TOO LATE FOR HER... SOON SHE WILL BECOME A WEAPON OF MASS DESTRUCTION BEYOND YOUR WILDEST DREAMS...AS FOR THAT MOTHER I SPOKE OF...
WHEN MY LIFE HAS REACHED ITS END, THE MACHINE ARMY WILL RETREAT!


WHAT? NO... DON'T DIE...
.....
DON'T... DIE...
WHAT SHOULD I DO NOW?

CLANG
WAA AA ...
YAH !

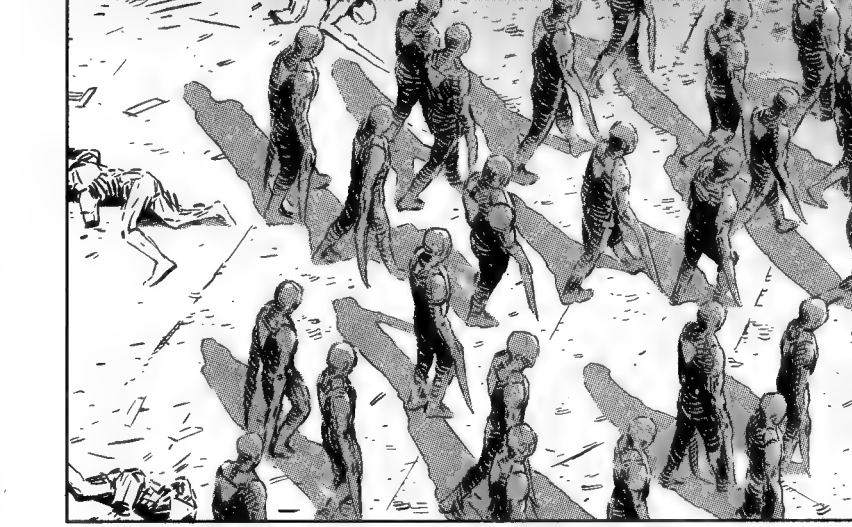

IT STOPPED?
HAA... HAA...

UGH!
WHAT?

NOW WHAT?

WHY DID THE MACHINES STOP?

RUSTLE
...
RUSTLE
...
BEEP
...
BEEP
...
CLICK...
CLICK...
COWARDS! DON'T RUN!
YAHH!
TAP
...
TAP
...
HAA...HAA! I'M NOT DEAD! WHY ARE THEY RUNNING AWAY?



I THINK ELETTRA DEFEATED THE COMMANDER OF THOSE MACHINES...
THIS IS...

WE WON!
YAY!
THE MACHINES ARE RETREAT-ING!

HAA...OH, MAN! I WAS SO SCARED!
CLANG!
GULP! LOOK! IT'S...
ELETTRA!

YOUR INJURY ...ARE YOU OKAY?
ELETTRA!

WHAT'S WRONG?

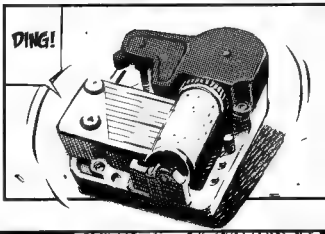
IT'S NOT OVER YET...

SWOOSH!
CLICK!
HAA ...
ELETTRA, WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT? THE ENEMY HAS RETREATED!

I'M GOING TO SAVE ALICE!
STOP IT! WHERE THE HELL ARE YOU GOING!?
NOW?
WHAT?
I PROM-ISED HER..
ELETTRA, LISTEN TO ME, I KNOW YOU TWO WERE CLOSE... BUT IN WAR SACRIFICES ARE MADE, WE DON'T STAND A CHANCE IN OUR CURRENT CONDITION, IT WOULD BE SUICIDE!
I PROMISED ALICE THAT I WOULD SAVE HER!

DO YOU EVEN CARE? I DON'T THINK SO! ALL YOU WANT IS A SAVIOUR! BEFORE I MET YOU LOT, I DIDN'T CARE FOR ABOUT ANYTHING! BUT NOW I DO!
BUT I LOST HER!
I HAVE NO IDEA IF I'M EVEN HUMAN ANYMORE, EVEN WHEN I LOOK AT MYSELF IN THE MIRROR, I DON'T RECOGNIZE MYSELF! LOOK AT MY INJURIES, I SHOULD BE DEAD! ALL OF THIS IS TOO STRANGE!
I'VE HAD TO SUFFER AS A MONSTER WITH SUPER ABILITIES, ALL TO SAVE HUMANITY!
CAN I..... BELIEVE IN MYSELF?
AH... I FEEL BAD...CAN I EVEN TRUST MYSELF ANYMORE?

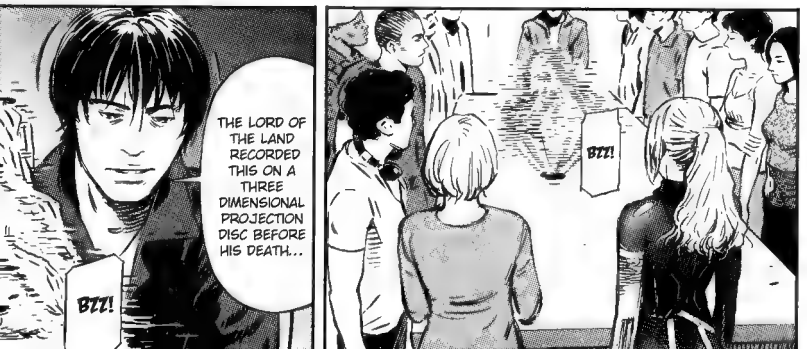
YOU WERE THE ONE WHO LET ALICE TO GO TO THE REFUGE ...WEREN'T YOU?


DING!

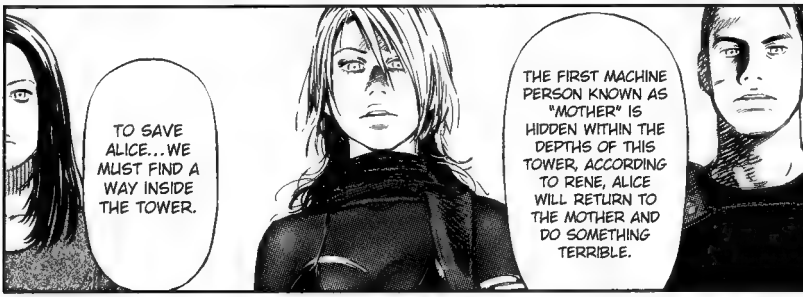
LISTEN TO ME...AS LONG AS SOMEONE IN THE WORLD NEEDS YOU, YOU AREN'T ALONE!

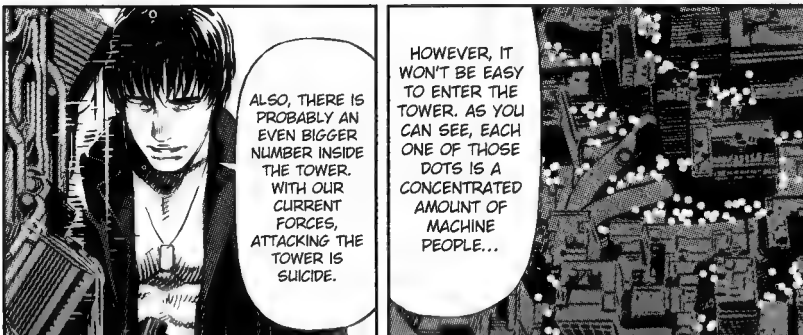
WE'LL ALL SAVE ALICE TOGETHER ...

AH... HAHAHA... ELETTRA, IS THAT YOU? BEFORE I FALL APART, I THINK THERE'S ONE THING I CAN DO FOR YOU...


THE LORD OF THE LAND RECORDED THIS ON A THREE DIMENSIONAL PROJECTION DISC BEFORE HIS DEATH...
BZZ!
BZZ!

THIS IRREGULAR HEAP OF BUILDINGS THAT TOWERS INTO THE SKY IS THE MACHINE PEOPLE'S BASE.


TO SAVE ALICE...WE MUST FIND A WAY INSIDE THE TOWER.
THE FIRST MACHINE PERSON KNOWN AS "MOTHER" IS HIDDEN WITHIN THE DEPTHS OF THIS TOWER, ACCORDING TO RENE, ALICE WILL RETURN TO THE MOTHER AND DO SOMETHING TERRIBLE.

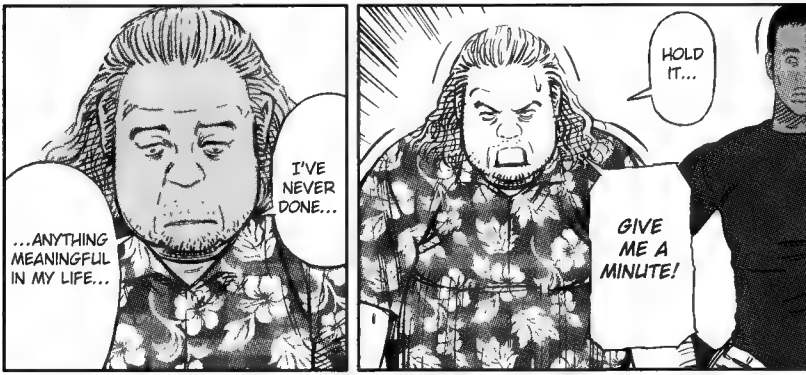

ALSO, THERE IS PROBABLY AN EVEN BIGGER NUMBER INSIDE THE TOWER. WITH OUR CURRENT FORCES, ATTACKING THE TOWER IS SUICIDE.
HOWEVER, IT WON'T BE EASY TO ENTER THE TOWER. AS YOU CAN SEE, EACH ONE OF THOSE DOTS IS A CONCENTRATED AMOUNT OF MACHINE PEOPLE...

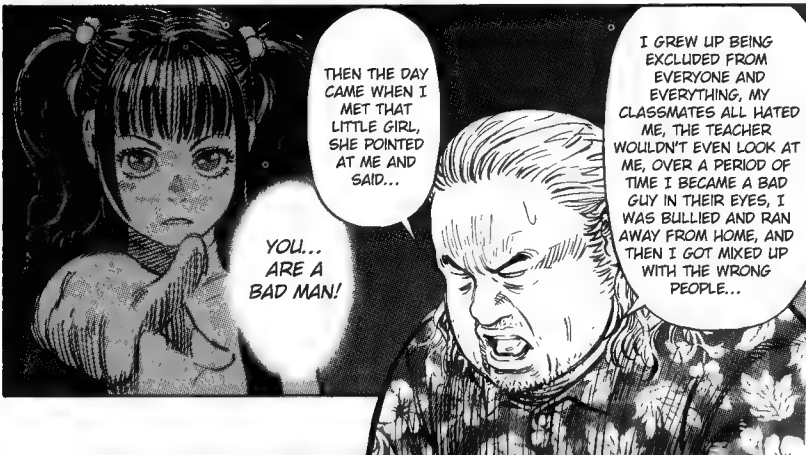
TIME IS RUNNING OUT, BUT LUCKILY I'VE FOUND A NEW WAY TO FIGHT THE MACHINES, BUT BEFORE THAT...I AM AFRAID YOU CAN'T ENTER THE TOWER BY NORMAL MEANS!
UH! DO YOU... MIND IF I PITCH IN?
...OH, MAN.. SHOULD WE SACRIFICE ALL OUR LIVES JUST TO SAVE ALICE?
I'VE CALLED IT TO "BABY"!
BEFORE THE TRAGIC DEATH OF THE PEOPLE INSIDE THIS REFUGE, THEY MADE SOME STRANGE THINGS. SINCE WE CAN'T GET TO ALICE RIGHT AWAY, WE CAN USE THIS TO SLIP BY THE MACHINES!
AS YOU ALREADY KNOW, WHEN IT'S INSTALLED INTO THE HUMAN BODY IT TRANSFORMS INTO A MACHINE PERSON.
BEING ON THE SAME WAVELENGTH AS THE MACHINE PEOPLE, IT'LL DISGUISE US AS WE MAKE OUR WAY THROUGH THE THOUSANDS OF MACHINE PEOPLE UNTIL WE REACH THE TOWER.
TO BABY?
I LOVE THIS IDEA!

AFTER WE SUCCESSFULLY GET INTO THE TOWER AND RESCUE ALICE, HOW DO WE GET THROUGH THE HORDES OF MACHINE PEOPLE AGAIN? SURELY THE SAME TRICK WON'T WORK TWICE?
DOCTOR, ARE YOU SURE ABOUT THIS?
THIS IS GREAT! THEY'LL THINK WE'RE MACHINE PEOPLE, THEN WE'LL KILL THEM BY SURPRISE! MY BLOOD IS BOILING AT THE THOUGHT!
AND IT WILL ONLY WORK WITH NORMAL HUMAN BEINGS, IT ISN'T COMPATIBLE WITH YOU SO-CALLED DEFECTIVES.
OH, I'M SORRY... THE FAKE BABY IS A ONE WAY TICKET!
OLD MAN, YOU CAN'T LEAVE US OUT LIKE
WHAT?
EVEN THOUGH THIS METHOD IS FEASIBLE, AS OF THIS MORNING, I'VE ONLY MADE FIVE FAKE BABY!
SO IT'S A ONE WAY TICKET? LIKE A DEATH MARCH?

.....
THIS IS THE ONLY WAY TO GET INTO THE TOWER, WE'LL WAIT AND DECIDE WHO GOES TOMORROW!
GIVE ONE OF THE FAKE BABY TO ME! I'LL GO ALONE, ANYMORE WILL BE AN UNNECESSARY SACRIFICE...
DON'T WORRY!
I'M COMING TOO!
YOU CAN'T SAVE ALICE ON YOUR OWN...
FROM THE BEGINNING, WE'VE ALWAYS HAD LITTLE HOPE, I DON'T THINK ANY SACRIFICE ON THIS SUICIDE MISSION IS UNNECESSARY. IN FACT, IT'S NECESSARY FOR ITS COMPLETION...
ELETTRA ...
.....

JIM ...
THAT'S THREE OF US...
WAIT A SECOND... COUNT ME IN TOO! THIS IS A SUICIDE MISSION WORTH GOING ON, I CAN'T ALLOW OUR SAVIOUR TO PERISH!

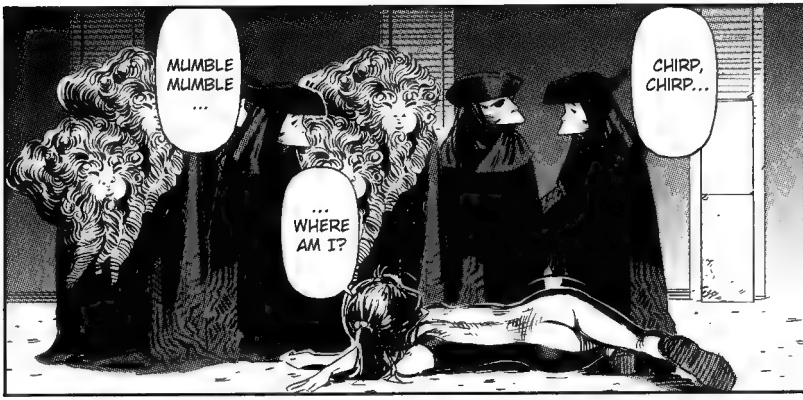

...ANYTHING MEANINGFUL IN MY LIFE...
I'VE NEVER DONE...
HOLD IT...
GIVE ME A MINUTE!


YOU... ARE A BAD MAN!
THEN THE DAY CAME WHEN I MET THAT LITTLE GIRL, SHE POINTED AT ME AND SAID...
I GREW UP BEING EXCLUDED FROM EVERYONE AND EVERYTHING, MY CLASSMATES ALL HATED ME, THE TEACHER WOULDN'T EVEN LOOK AT ME, OVER A PERIOD OF TIME I BECAME A BAD GUY IN THEIR EYES, I WAS BULLIED AND RAN AWAY FROM HOME, AND THEN I GOT MIXED UP WITH THE WRONG PEOPLE...

I'M COMING TOO!
AM I A GOOD PERSON? WHY CAN'T I REMEMBER IF I'VE DONE ANYTHING GOOD?
AH!
WHAT? IT'S TOO DANGEROUS! WILL YOU SHOOT A GUN? WHY DO YOU WANT TO COME? YOU'LL DIE!
I'LL... COME TOO!
MY GOD! FOR WHAT REASON? WE SHOULDN'T ALLOW THESE KIND OF PEOPLE TO JOIN!
...F-FROM CHILDHOOD NOBODY HAS REALLY NOTICED ME, WITH THIS IN MIND THE MACHINES SHOULDN'T BOTHER ME...
WELL! THIS LOOKS LIKE IT, THIS IS OUR FIVE PEOPLE!

HUH?
ALRIGHT, LEON! WHERE CAN I GET MYSELF SOME MORE CANNED GOODS? THIS IS A SUICIDE MISSION AFTER ALL!
GET SOME SLEEP! I'LL BE WAITING IN THE LOBBY TOMORROW MORNING...
.....
ALICE, WAIT FOR US...

CHIRP, CHIRP ...
UH ...


MUMBLE MUMBLE ...
... WHERE AM I?
CHIRP, CHIRP...

MY BABY, YOU'VE BEEN GONE TOO LONG!

SCUTTLE ...

TODAY IS THE DAY YOU'LL COME BACK TO MY BODY!
I HOPE YOU CAN UNDERSTAND, THE WORLD NEEDS TO BE REFORMED, YOU ARE THE ONLY ONE WITH PERFECT GENES TO COMPLETE MY PLAN.
BY THAT TIME, THE WORLD...
NO...
MOTHER ...
WILL NO LONGER NEED HUMANS!

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HUH?
COFFEE?
ARE YOU HERE TO SAY GOODBYE?
I'LL GIVE YOU THIS COFFEE AND YOU'LL LET ME SIT BESIDE YOU, DEAL?
AH! YES, SURE!
TOMORROW MORNING WE'LL SAY OUR GOODBYES!
ABOUT THIS TRIP, WE DEFECTIVES SHOULD BE COMING WITH YOU! WE HAVE LONG BEEN READY TO FIGHT, THOUGH I'M NOT SURE IF WE HAVE THE HEART TO WIN...

WE'VE GOT TO FACE IT TOGETHER!
THAT PLACE ...
EVEN STUPID COFFEE ...
ELETTRA, I WANT TO TELL YOU SOMETHING ...
FROM THE VERY BEGINNING I'VE BEEN AVOIDING THE WHOLE END OF THE WORLD, I KNOW IT'S BEEN DESTROYED BUT...THE WORLD HAS CHANGED, HASN'T IT? EVERYTHING'S CHANGED...
REMEMBER YOU ASKED WHAT KIND OF ABILITIES WE DEFECTIVES HAVE...
THIS ISN'T A SUICIDE MISSION WITH NO RETURN, YOU CAN'T GIVE IN TO DESPAIR. WHEN YOU GET TO ALICE IN THE TOWER. I'LL COME AND PICK YOU GUYS UP.

I JUST WANT TO ENJOY THIS CUP OF COFFEE RIGHT NOW.
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IT'S ALRIGHT ...IT DOESN'T MATTER ANYMORE...
HEY...WOULD YOU MIND IF I BORROWED YOU SHOULDER FOR A MOMENT?

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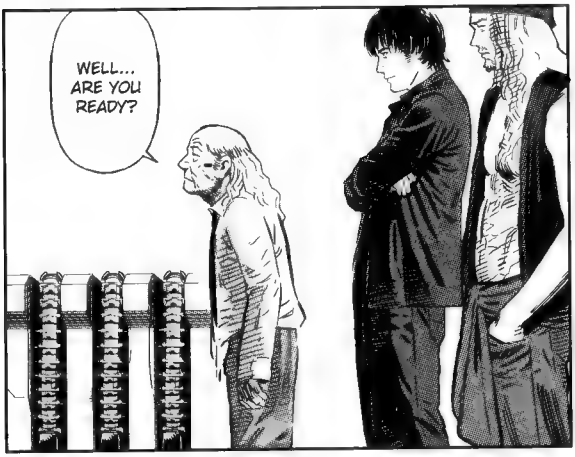

WELL... ARE YOU READY?

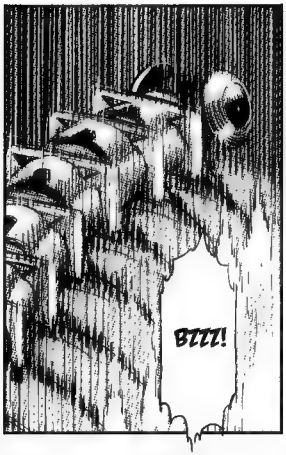
PING!

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, I PRESENT TO YOU THE FIVE PSEUDO BABY. AND THAT'S NOT ALL, I HAVE THE COORDINATES OF THE TOWER INPUTTED INTO THEM TOO.
I'LL EXPLAIN HOW THE PSEUDO BABY WORKS: THE PERSON WHO ACCEPTS IT WILL LOSE ALL SENSES AND THEIR ACTIONS WILL BE CONTROLLED UNTIL YOU ARRIVE AT THE DESIGNATED AREA. AFTERWARDS, IT'LL DISSOLVE.
IN OTHER WORDS, IT MIGHT NOT TAKE YOU ALL THE WAY...
BUT...I WASN'T ABLE TO FINE TUNE THE SETTINGS ...
YOU MIGHT END UP AT THE TOWER OR SOMEWHERE NEARBY...

.....
IF YOU WAKE UP SOME PLACE YOU SHOULDN'T BE...THEN GET TO THE TOWER AS SOON AS YOU CAN AND REGROUP WITH THE OTHERS!
THIS IS IT...WE'RE CERTAIN TO DIE! I WONDER... WILL I WAKE UP FIRST?
MY GOD! OLD MAN, COULDN'T YOU HAVE TOLD US THIS SOONER?
WELL .....
MAN, THIS SHIT IS MESSED UP! IT'S LIKE STRAPPING A TICKING TIME BOMB TO YOURSELF, WE'LL BE SURROUNDED AND KILLED IN AN INSTANT IF THE MACHINE PEOPLE SPOT US WITHOUT THE PSEUDO BABY!

DO IT, DOC!

THERE'S NO OTHER WAY, LET'S GET THIS OVER WITH!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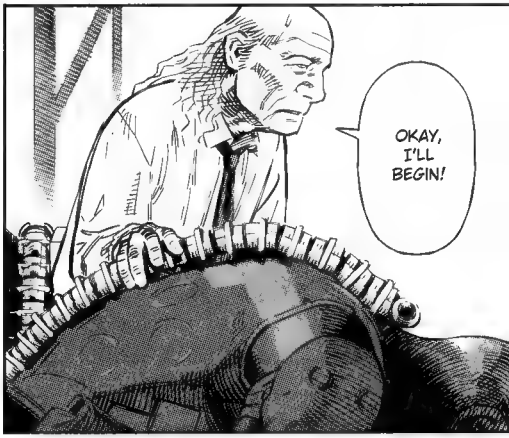
OKAY, I'LL BEGIN!

DON'T RESIST IT, IT'LL ONLY SLOW THE PROCESS, LET THE PSEUDO BABY TAKE CONTROL AND LEAD YOU TO YOUR DESTINATION.
RUSTLE
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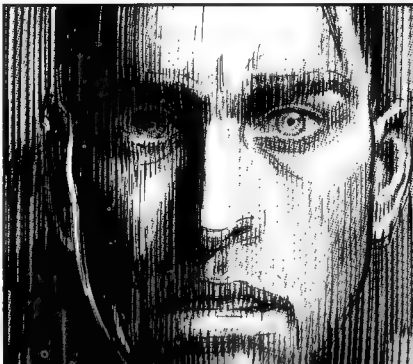

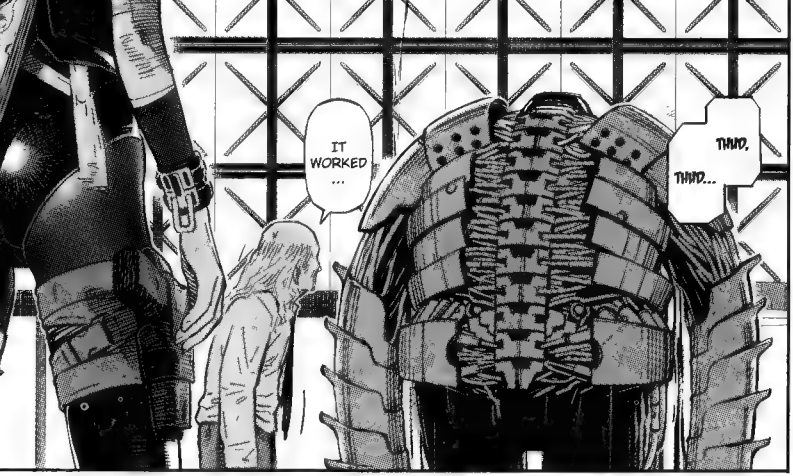
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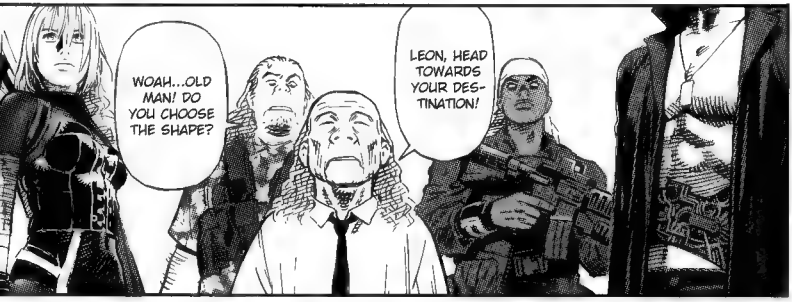
WOAH...OLD MAN! DO YOU CHOOSE THE SHAPE?
LEON, HEAD TOWARDS YOUR DESTINATION!

LET'S GET MOVING!
COME ON!

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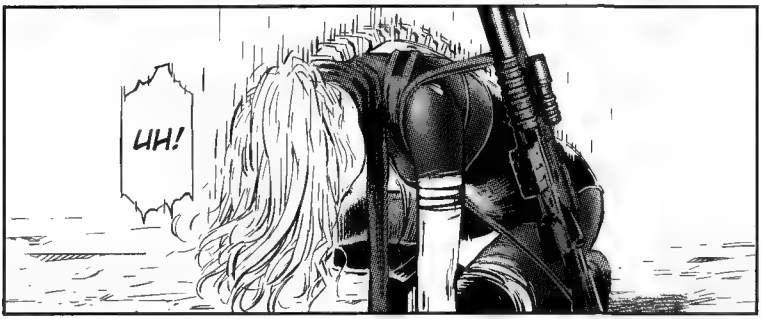
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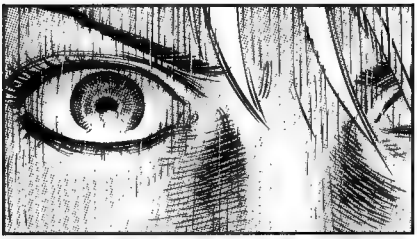

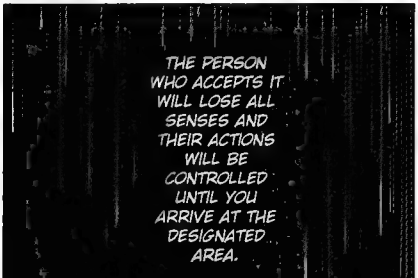
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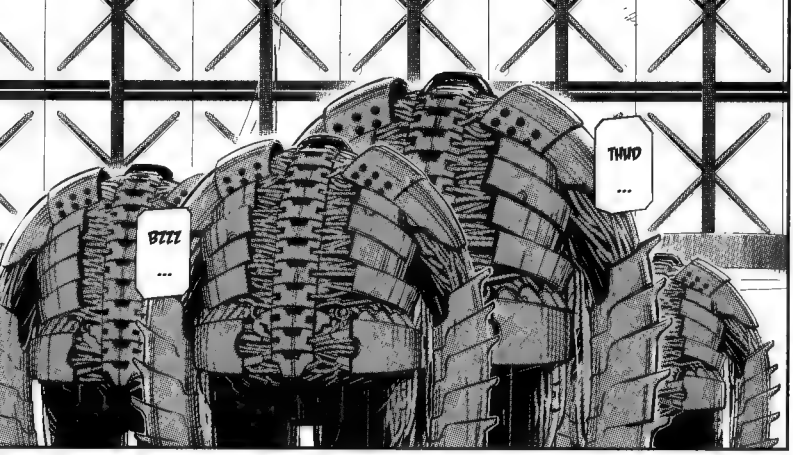
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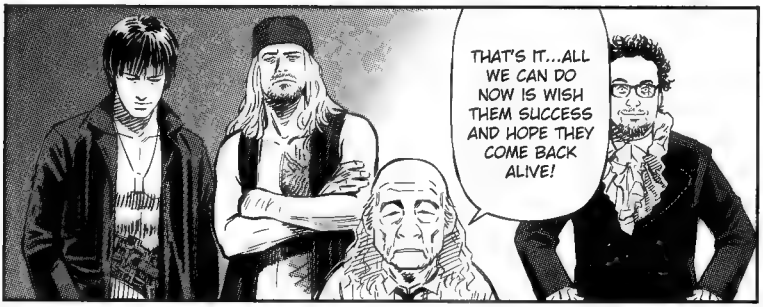
THAT'S IT...ALL WE CAN DO NOW IS WISH THEM SUCCESS AND HOPE THEY COME BACK ALIVE!

RUMBLE
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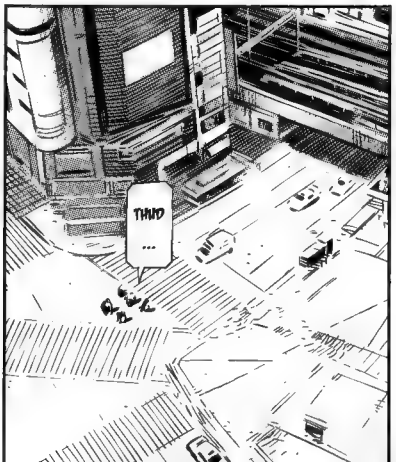
THWD
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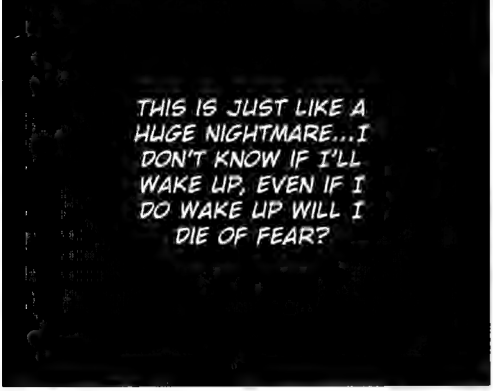
RUSTLE
...
HUH?
IT'S POURING DOWN!
SHAAA
THIS IS GREAT, THE RAINING IS COMING THROUGH THE SKYLIGHT!
THIS IS SO SUDDEN!
WATER
...

THIS IS IT...
WATER ...
AHAHA HAHA...
HEY, H! YOU'RE ACTING LIKE A CRAZY PERSON! HAHA...
WHAT IS THAT GUY DOING?
AHAH AHA...
YAAA AA...
THAT'S RIGHT! IT'S RAIN! HEAVY RAIN!

AHAHA HA...
LADIES AND GENTLE-MEN!
HEY, DOC! IT'S HEAVING RAIN! SEE?
SINGING IN THE RAIN...
SINGING IN THE RAIN...
HEAVY RAIN, GOD'S FINEST CREATION!
SINGING IN THE RAIN...
HEY ...
THAT'S RIGHT!

HAHA HA...
YAAA ...
HMM... WHAT'S GOING THROUGH THEIR HEADS?
REALLY? I GUESS IT'S BETTER TO HAVE TWO MADMEN THAN JUST ONE!
FACING DEATH, THIS IS WHAT WE NEED RIGHT NOW!
THIS IS JUST WEIRD!
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, I PRESENT ALICE'S TEARS...


THIS IS JUST LIKE A HUGE NIGHTMARE...I DON'T KNOW IF I'LL WAKE UP, EVEN IF I DO WAKE UP WILL I DIE OF FEAR?

HOW LONG HAS IT BEEN
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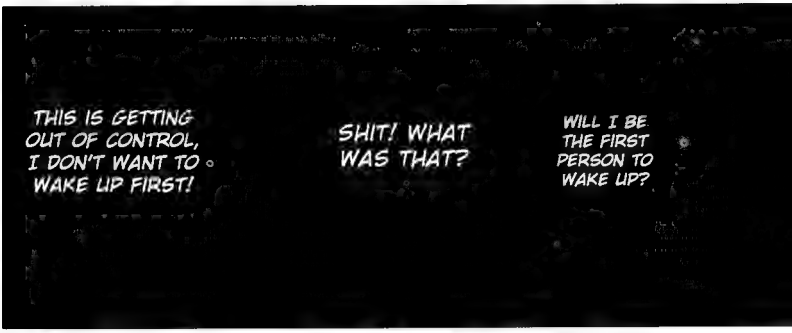
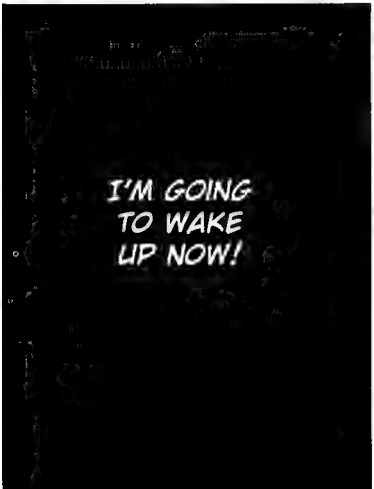

THIS IS GETTING OUT OF CONTROL, I DON'T WANT TO WAKE UP FIRST!
SHIT! WHAT WAS THAT?
WILL I BE THE FIRST PERSON TO WAKE UP?


I'M GOING TO WAKE UP NOW!

NO! I DON'T WANT TO WAKE UP, IT CAN'T BE!

I'VE JUST JINXED MYSELF! DAMN IT! I DON'T WANT TO WAKE UP FIRST! I CAN'T STAND THIS!
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AM I AWAKE ?
嘎吼吼吼！
ROAR...
UHHH HHH ...
WHACK
AHHH HH....

NO! THEY'VE FOUND ME! I'M A DEAD MAN!
WAH...A GUN! I HAVE A GUN!
YAAAAA...
RATATATAT
BOOM!
THUD ...
RUSTLE ...

HEY! IT'S YOU ...
DAMN IT ALL! I'M ALL ALONE, I JUST HAD TO WAKE UP FIRST!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING? WHY ARE YOU IN THE MIDDLE OF THE ROAD? YOUR LUCKY TO HAVE MET ME, COME ON, LET'S GO!
OH! BALAN!
MY GOD! DON'T GIVE ME THAT ...IF YOU STAY HERE YOU'LL DIE, SO MOVE IT!
NO..... I CAN'T ...
NO... THERE'S NO WAY I CAN GO!

OH, NO! THIS IS BAD... THEY'VE FOUND US!
GRAB!
THEY'VE FOUND US! I'M NOT FAST ENOUGH, YOU GO ALONE!
HEY! GET UP! WHERE'S YOUR WEAPON, DIDN'T YOU BRING ONE?
I'M SORRY... THIS REALLY IS THE END FOR ME...
OH, GOD! THIS IS...

NO! I DON'T CARE WHAT IT TAKES TO GET YOU OUT OF HERE, WE'RE BOTH LEAVING TOGETHER!
I BEG YOU... PLEASE, SAVE YOUR-SELF!
HOW CAN YOU JUST GIVE UP LIKE THAT? STAND UP, WE'LL GO TOGETHER! GET UP, THIS ISN'T THE END FOR YOU!
YOU CAN'T...I'LL ONLY SLOW YOU DOWN. I KNEW FROM THE VERY START THAT FIVE OF US WOULDN'T MAKE IT, I HAD TO GIVE THE OTHERS A FIGHTING CHANCE.
...WHA ...WHAT?
I HATE YOU...YOU FAT SLOB, IT'S BECAUSE YOU DIDN'T WANT ME TO COME EVEN THOUGH I WANTED TO!
THIS IS ALL BECAUSE OF YOU!

OH...
...I SIMPLY CAN'T FORGIVE YOU...
FROM THE VERY BEGINNING ON THE TRAIN, I THOUGHT WE HAD SOMETHING, I THOUGHT WE COULD LOVE ONE ANOTHER .....
WAAA AAA...
DAMN IT, NOBODY SHOULD HAVE TO SACRIFICE THEM-SELVES!

I LOVE YOU!
BOOM
I LOVE YOU!

WAA AAA ...
THE TOWER!
UH ...
WAH!
WHOOSH

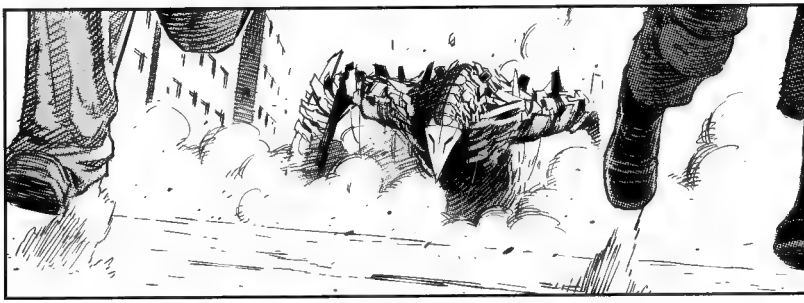
UH!
JIM!
MOVE IT, LARD ASS!
HUH? HUH?
WAAAA... JIM, THAT GIRL DIED A MOMENT AGO!
FUCK!
CAN'T YOU SEE WHY I'M RUNNING AWAY? IT'S THE MACHINE PEOPLE!

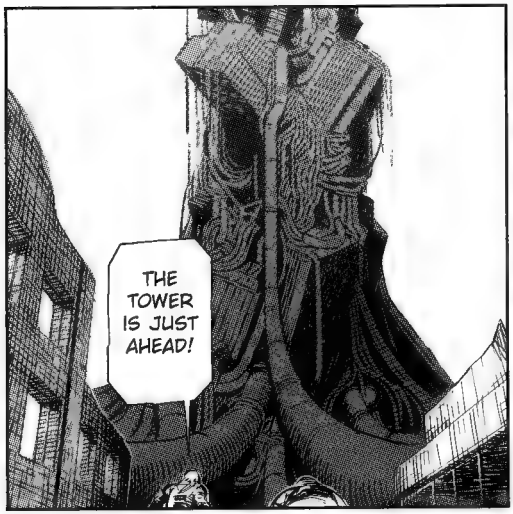
DAMN IT, JIM! THAT'S THE WRONG WAY, I WON'T FIT!
WAH!
HEY! WAIT A SECOND ...
COME ON, THIS WAY!
COME ON, FATSO! I GUESS YOU WOULD RATHER STAY BACK THERE!
DAMN YOU...YOU SON OF A BITCH! WHY DID YOU CHOOSE SUCH A TIGHT SPOT?

I'M GOING TO DIE, MY BELLY IS TOO BIG, I'M STUCK.
BREATHE IN! FATSO! YOU CAN'T DIE HERE!
HAA...
YOU SEE, EVEN THE MACHINES ARE TOO BIG, THEY'LL GET STUCK TOO!
OH, COME ON!
FWIP ...
YAA A...

PING
...
WAA
A...
RATATAT
YOU DAMN MACHINES! YOU CAN ALL DIE IN THERE!
OUT OF THE WAY!

CRASH
RUN!
WAAAA ...IT'S HUGE...
RATATATAT




THE TOWER IS JUST AHEAD!

HURRY!
HAA ...

LEON! THE MACHINE PEOPLE ARE RIGHT BEHIND US!
LEON!
HAA ...
UH!
DAMN IT, HOLD THEM ON WHILE I TRY AND OPEN THIS DOOR!
YAAA ...
THUD!
RATATATAT

WHAT THE HELL?
HAA... IS THE DOOR HIDDEN? IT WON'T BUDGE.
WELL, THE MACHINE PEOPLE ARE ABOUT TO SWARM US! YOU BETTER THINK OF SOMETHING!
RATATATAT

DAMN IT!
GRRR RR...
HAA...LEON, WE CAN'T STAY HERE, THE MACHINE PEOPLE ARE ALMOST ONTOP OF US!
HAA... THERE'S NO OBVIOUS WAY INTO THE TOWER, WE'RE GOING TO DIE HERE!
THUD, THUD, THUD ...
!

RATATATAT
SLIDE!

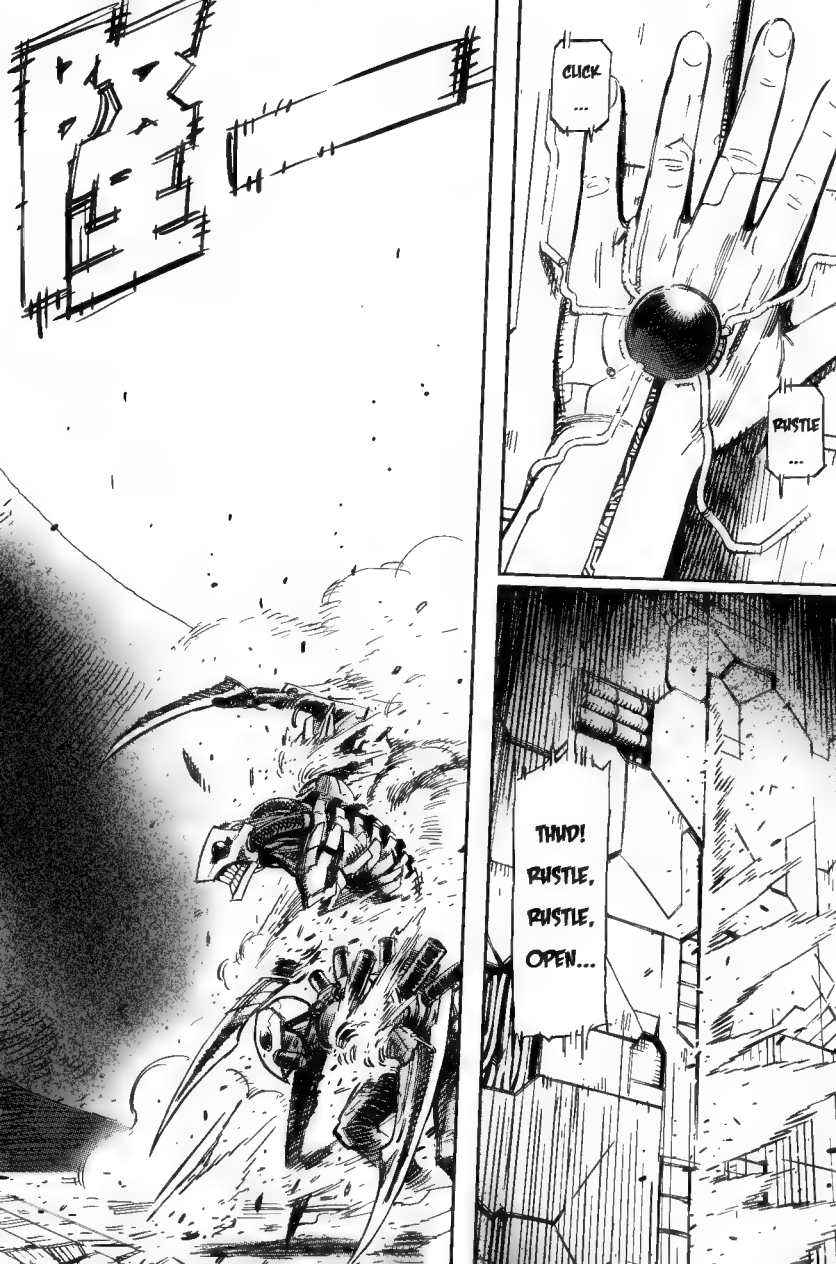
RATATATAT

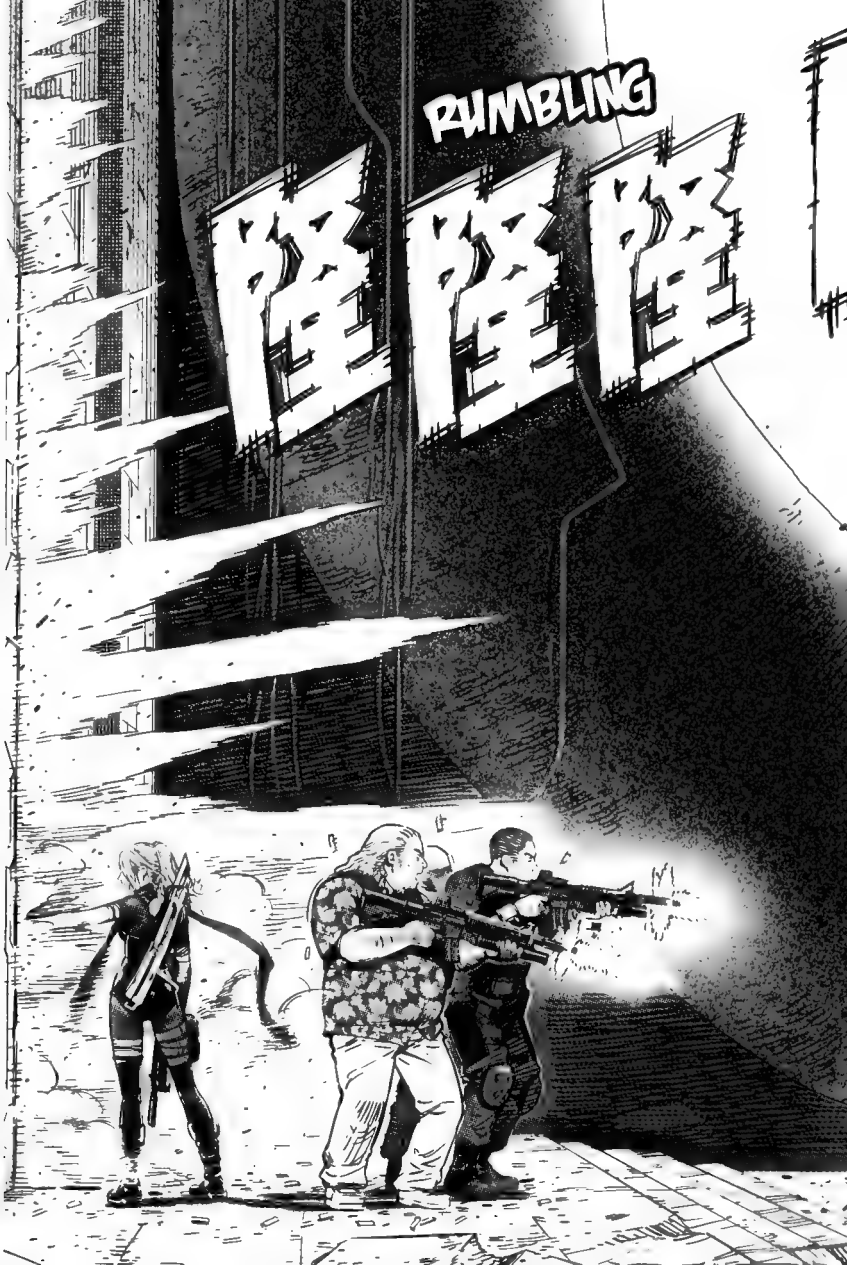
TAKE COVER!

IT'S ELETTRA! SHE'S TEARING THROUGH THE MACHINE PEOPLE!

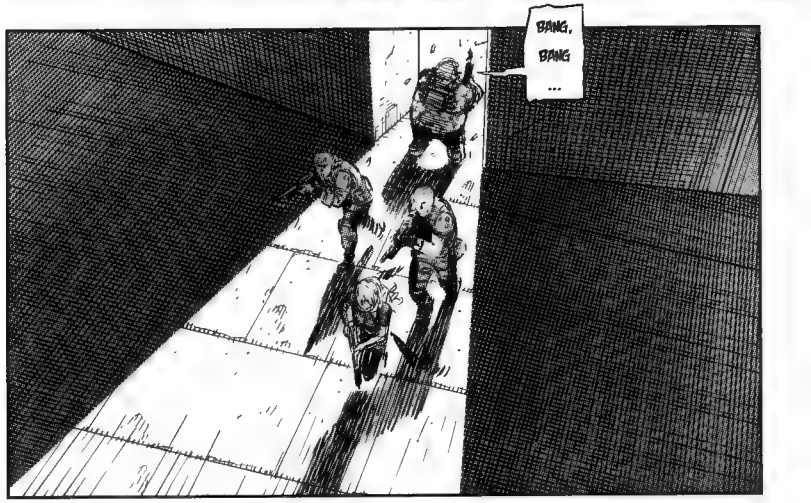
RATATATAT

SEEMS LIKE ITS ONE BIG MECHANICAL DOOR...
HOLD THE ENEMY WHILE I TRY AND OPEN THE DOOR!
ELET-TRA!
FUSION!
SLAP!
RATATATAT
哇哇哇哇...

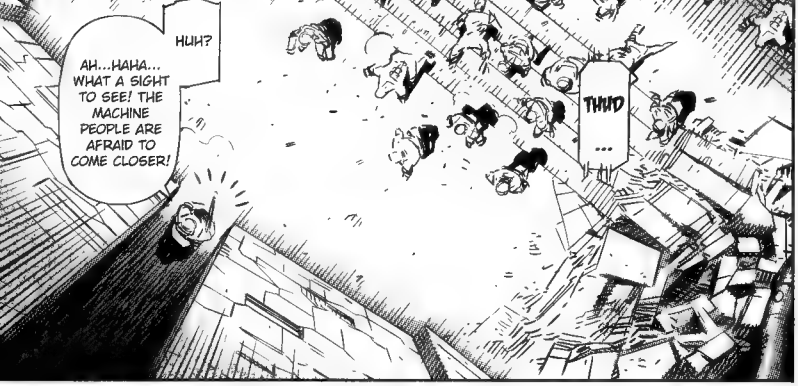

CLICK
...
RUSTLE
...
THUD!
RUSTLE,
RUSTLE,
OPEN...


RUMBLING

COME ON! LET'S GET INSIDE!


BANG, BANG ...

SLIDE ...
RUSTLE ...
RATATAT
YAAA .....


HUH?
AH...HAHA... WHAT A SIGHT TO SEE! THE MACHINE PEOPLE ARE AFRAID TO COME CLOSER!
THUD
...

CAN'T YOU SEE THAT THEY WON'T ENTER? KNOWING THAT...WHAT KIND OF PLACE IS THIS?

COME! COME!
SLAP!

LET'S MOVE IT!

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THUD!
THUD!
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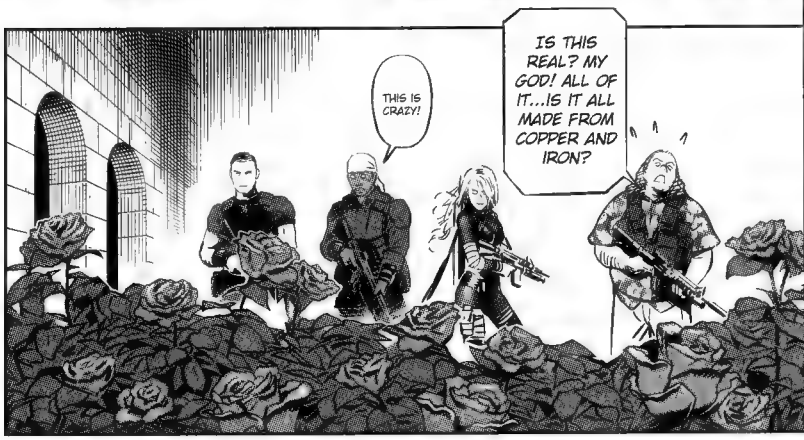
TAP...
TAP...

OUCH! MY FEET... SHIT! IT'S BLEEDING!
FATSO! ARE YOU TRYING TO SCARE ME?

WAH ...
WHAT THE HELL?


THIS IS CRAZY!
IS THIS REAL? MY GOD! ALL OF IT...IS IT ALL MADE FROM COPPER AND IRON?

IT WASN'T EASY FOR YOU, BUT AT YOU SOME OF YOU GOT HERE!
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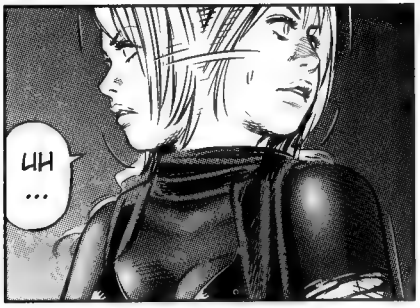

UH ...

AH...I THINK I KNOW YOU...
ELETTRA, ISN'T IT?
MOTHER ...
ELETTRA, I DON'T THINK YOU'LL LIKE WHAT YOU SEE!
YOU BITCH! YOU CLAIM TO KNOW ME?

ALICE!

Chapter 24
Despair

WHAT'S WRONG? SHE WAS MINE TO BEGIN WITH!
YOU... WHAT HAVE YOU DONE TO ALICE? GIVE HER BACK!
SO, I GUESS I'M STARTING THIS FIGHT?
IS THAT A NICK-NAME?
CREAK ...
RUSTLE ...

WELL...DO YOU HONESTLY EXPECT TO DEFEAT ME AND TAKE ALICE'S BODY AWAY? OH...YOU OVERESTIMATE YOURSELVES...
SHE'S OPENING UP!
WHOOM!!
GO TO HELL!
RATATATAT
BAH...THIS BITCH, I CAN'T WAIT TO AVENGE OUR SACRIFICED COMPANIONS!
NO! WAIT ...

WHIP
...
WHISP...
CLANG
...
RUSTLE
...
IS IT OVER?

HAA
...
RUSTLE
...
ENERGY
...
ENERGY?
WHAT THE HELL?
HAA...I'M NOT THE SAME AS THE OTHERS!

IS THAT TRUE? OUR ATTACK WILL SIMPLY HEAL HER!
THOSE BULLETS YOU SHOT INTO ME...THEY ARE ONLY GOING TO BUILD MY ENERGY.
MAN... IS THIS REALLY HAPPENING? SHE'S GROWING TALL, ISN'T SHE?
YOU CAN'T HARM ME, ANYTHING YOU THROW AT ME WILL ONLY BE ABSORBED!
RUSTLE ...
THERE IS NO HOPE, ONLY DEATH!
FIRE!
RATATATAT
YAAA .....
I HEAR YOU! SO YOU WANT BULLETS! I'LL GIVE YOU SOME!

RATATAT
PING.
PING
...
STOP IT! YOU CAN'T KILL HER! YOU'LL ONLY MAKE HER BIGGER!
RUSTLE
...
RISE
...

NOW, YOU'LL LOSE TO ME!
RUSTLE ...
WHIP ...
SWOOSH!
UH!
WHOOSH
!

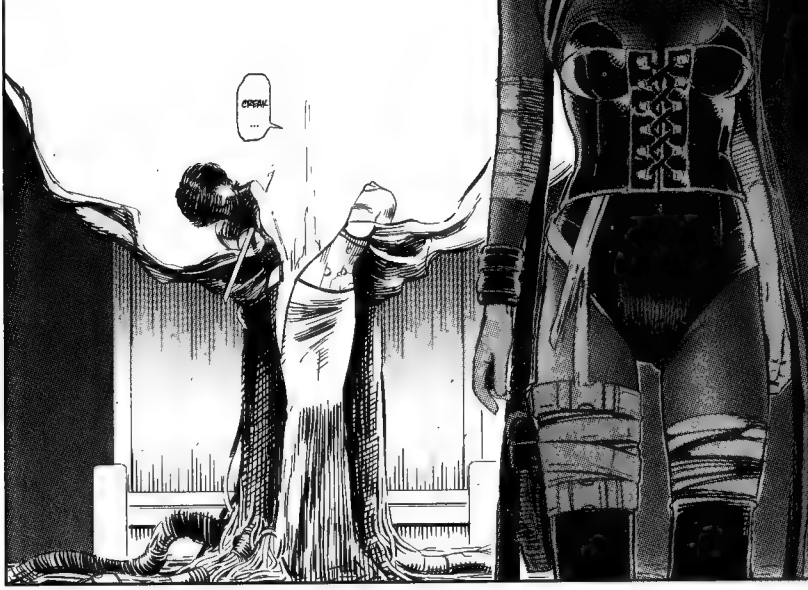
AHH ...
WAH ...
THE LONGER WE FIGHT THE WORSE IT'S GOING TO GET! THERE'S NO TIME TO WORRY, I HAVE TO FIND A SOLUTION!
UH!
WHAT-EVER I DO I'VE GOT TO DO IT QUICK, THIS FIGHT HAS TO END NOW!
FWIP!

SWISH
...
WHOOSH
...
I'VE GOT YOU...
FUSION!
GRAB!
IT'S PAY-BACK TIME!

SLICE!
WHOOSH
YAAAA
.....

AHH
...

HAA
...
EVERY-
ONE...
ARE YOU
OKAY?
ELETTRA,
IS IT
OVER?


CREAK
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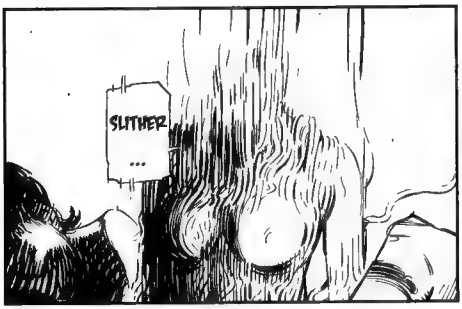
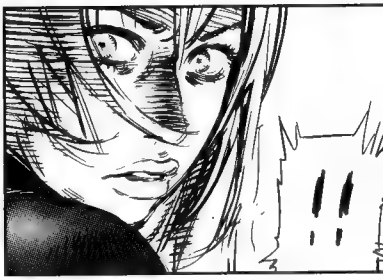

SLITHER
...

RISE
...

RUSTLE
...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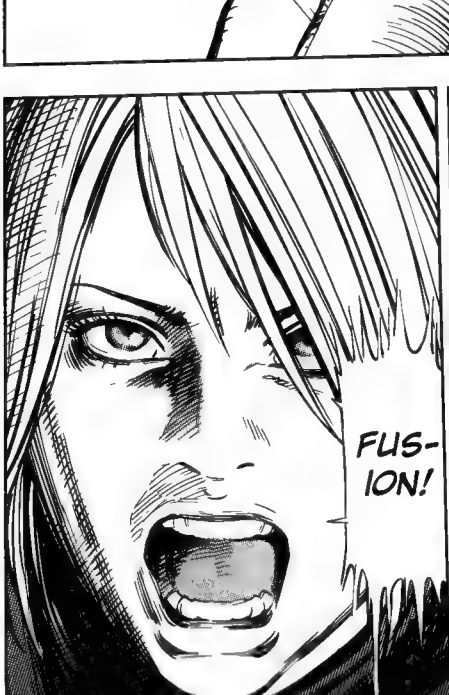
I ABSORB THE ENERGY... THEN I EVOLVE... AND REBIRTH BEGINS...
HAA...I FEEL MUCH BETTER NOW...
OH, YOU SHOULD FEEL TERRIBLE... CAN'T YOU FEEL DESPAIR COME OVER YOU?

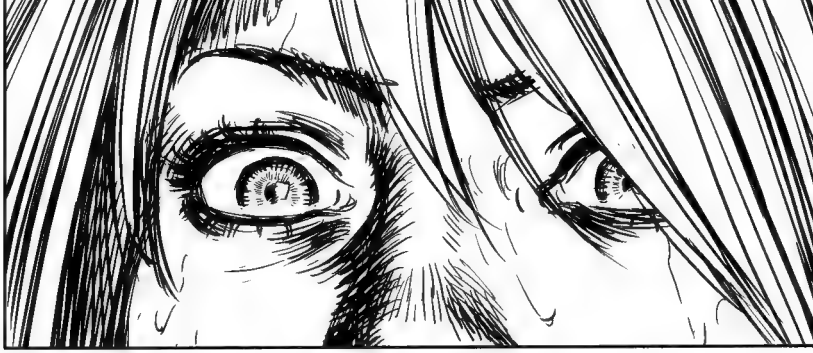
ELETTRA, GET OUT OF THERE!
WAA AA...
NO! WE HAVE TO AT LEAST TRY TO BEAT HER...
NO! I HAVE TO MAKE MY MOVE, THIS IS MY ONLY CHANCE! TO DEFEAT YOU...
HAA! BE CAREFUL, THESE TENTACLES ARE QUITE SHARP...
I AM WILLING TO RISK EVEN MY LIFE!
CLENCH!

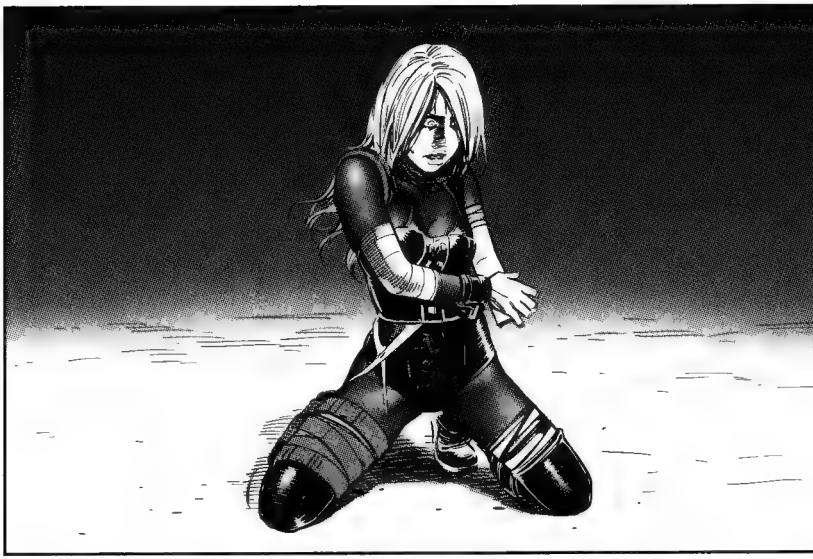
TAP!
...IS THAT RIGHT?


FUS-
ION!

IS THIS YOUR LAST RESORT? YOU WANT TO INTEGRATE WITH ME? I WELCOME YOU TO TRY!

WHOOSH!!
FLAP!
ELET-TRA!
OH! THIS IS BAD!
WELL! LOOKS LIKE THIS IS IT! YOU HAVE YOURSELF TO BLAME FOR THIS...
SWISH!





MY GOD! I'M GOING TO FAINT!
ELET-TRA!
AH!

AHH
HHH
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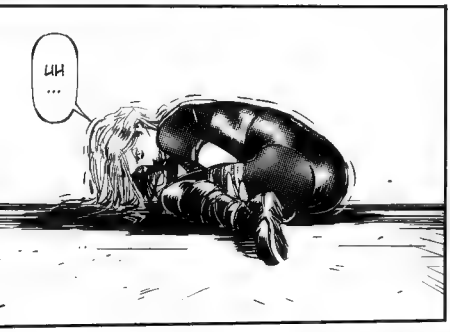
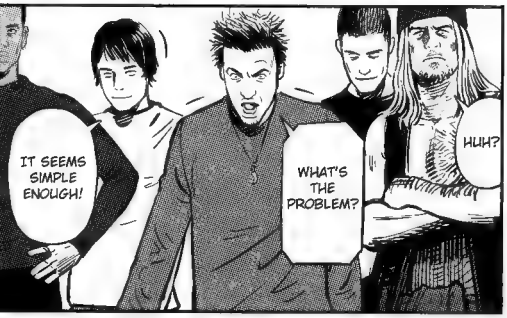

UH
...

OH, YOU'VE LOST YOUR LEFT HAND, WHAT WILL YOU DO NOW?

THERE IS STILL HOPE
...

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, MAY I PRESENT "ALICE'S TEARS".
WITH THIS I WAS ABLE TO CREATE A VIRUS THAT WILL TERMINATE THE MACHINE PEOPLES FUNCTIONS, I CALL THIS "ALICE'S EYE BROMINE".
IN SHORT, THIS IS BASED ON INFORMATION I OBTAINED FROM ALICE BEFORE SHE LEFT.
THIS IS ALSO WHAT ALICE USED TO PUT THE MACHINES TO SLEEP BEFORE ELETTRA FOUND HER...
WELL, YES!
WAIT...YOU MEAN WE CAN JUST PUT ALL THE MACHINES TO SLEEP?

"ALICE'S TEARS" WILL RAIN DOWN UPON THE CITY!
IT WILL SPREAD EVERYWHERE, ALL MACHINES WILL BE AFFECTED.


IT SEEMS SIMPLE ENOUGH!
WHAT'S THE PROBLEM?
HUH?

BUT THAT LEAVES ONE QUESTION, WHO WILL SEED "ALICES TEARS"?

COULD IT BE THAT...

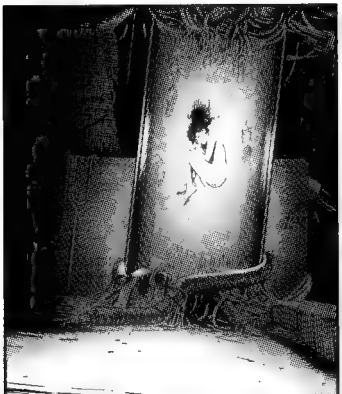
A FEW OF US DEFECTIVES HAVE HIDDEN ABILITIES ...

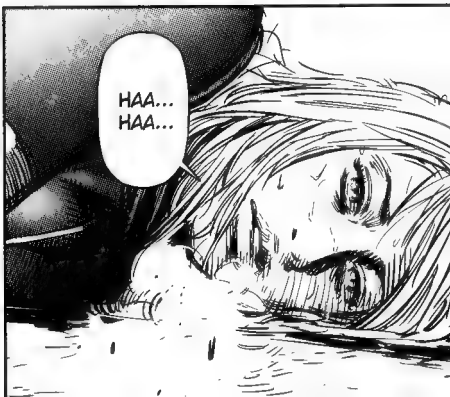
GIVE IT TO ME!

...A-ARE THOSE METAL WINGS?
BUT, "ALICE'S TEARS" WILL HAVE THE SAME EFFECT UPON YOU ALL, ONCE THE RAIN IS OVER...YOU WILL ALL DIE!
NO...IT'S OUR PLEASURE!

ELETTRA! GET UP!

THIS IS IT...IT'S ALL OVER!




HAA... HAA...

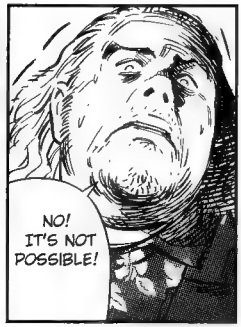
GRAB!
ALICE...
FRAGILE HUMAN, DO YOU FEEL HELPLESS NOT BEING ABLE TO GET UP?
WHAT A FOOL, DO YOU THINK THAT WILL WORK AGAINST ME?
PING!
BANG

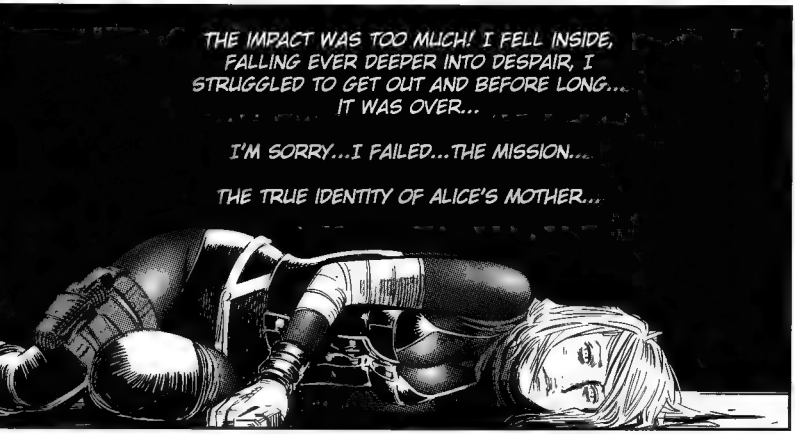
BANG BANG
WHAT ARE YOU DOING? STOP IT!
DO YOU WANT TO DIE? I SAID STOP IT!
WHOOSH
SWISH ...
CRACK ...
HAA ...

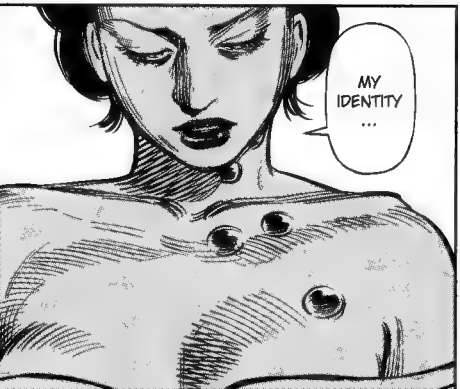
SPLASH
COUGH
...
ALICE
...
LOOK AT WHAT YOU'VE DONE!
BZZ...
SWISH
...
COUGH
...

MAMA
...
MAMA?

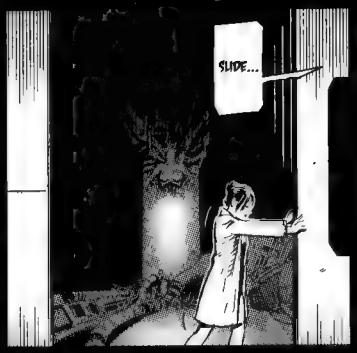
NO
...


NO!
IT'S NOT
POSSIBLE!

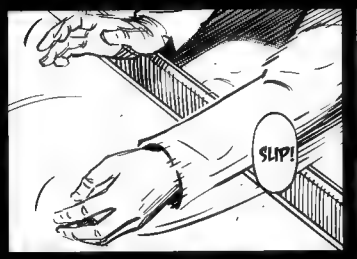

THE IMPACT WAS TOO MUCH! I FELL INSIDE,
FALLING EVER DEEPER INTO DESPAIR, I
STRUGGLED TO GET OUT AND BEFORE LONG...
IT WAS OVER...
I'M SORRY...I FAILED...THE MISSION...
THE TRUE IDENTITY OF ALICE'S MOTHER...


MY
IDENTITY
...

I AM ONE OF THE MISSING SCIENTISTS WHO WORKED ON THE BABY PROJECT...


SLIDE...

IT HAPPENED RIGHT AROUND THE PROJECT WAS CANCELLED ...


SLIP!

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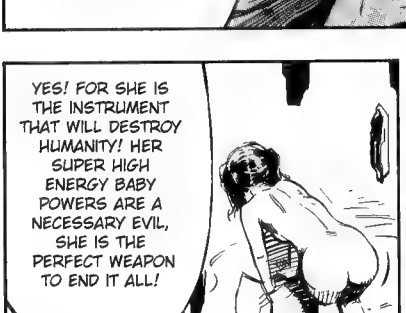
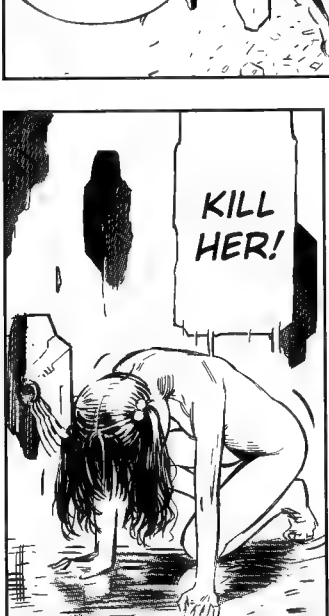
FOR SECURITY REASONS, I TRIED TO GET RID OF THE BABY...

AT THAT MOMENT MY HUMAN BODY FELT SO FRAGILE, I COULD FEEL THE BABY INSIDE ME, IT WAS EVOLUTION, AND THERE WAS NO PAIN, ONLY EVOLUTION BEYOND THE FLESH.
NO! I SHOULD BE CONTROLLING THEM!
A SMALL ACCIDENT TURNED ME INTO THE FIRST HUMAN INFECTED BY BABY...

I FEEL LIKE THIS IS HUMANITY'S JUDGMENT FOR PLAYING GOD, GOING PLACES WHERE WE HAD NO BUSINESS, IF MY DESTINY IS TO CORRECT THINGS...THEN SO BE IT! A NEW WORLD MUST BE BORN, A WORLD FREE OF HUMANITY!
MY HEART FELT AN INEXPLICABLE LONELINESS AND HATRED FOR THE WORLD...GOD CREATED MANKIND, AND WHEN MANKIND BECAME THE MASTER OF THINGS, DID THAT GIVE THEM THE RIGHT TO CREATE NEW LIFE?


YES! FOR SHE IS THE INSTRUMENT THAT WILL DESTROY HUMANITY! HER SUPER HIGH ENERGY BABY POWERS ARE A NECESSARY EVIL, SHE IS THE PERFECT WEAPON TO END IT ALL!

ALICE TOO? YOU'RE CRAZY! SHE'S YOUR DAUGHTER!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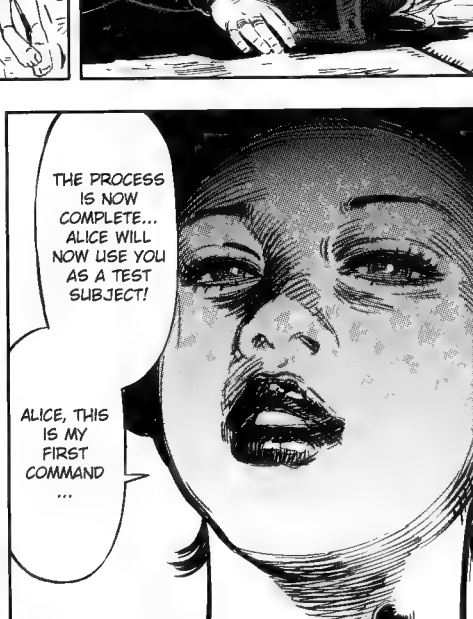
THE PROCESS IS NOW COMPLETE... ALICE WILL NOW USE YOU AS A TEST SUBJECT!
ALICE, THIS IS MY FIRST COMMAND ...

ALICE...

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KILL HER!
BZZ
...

AHH
HHH
...
OH, GOD! STOP!
CLAC!
NO!

RATATATAT

ALICE! STOP IT!

PING.
PING...
AHH
HHH
...
SLIDE!
WHACK!

Chapter 25
Alice's tears

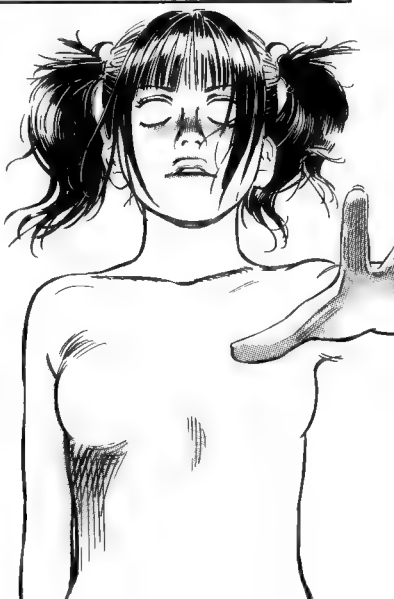
?
CLICK
...

.....
CLICK,
DING...
ALICE... THE MUSIC BOX...
.....
?
ALICE, WHAT'S WRONG? KILL HER NOW!

UH!

ALICE, DON'T DO IT!

KILL HER!



UM
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DING,
DING...
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DING,
DING...
DING...
DING,
DING...

IT'S... "TO ALICE"...
THIS SONG...
OH ...
YOU HAVEN'T FORGOTTEN, THAT'S GOOD...YOU KNOW, WE WERE WORRIED ABOUT YOU.
THAT MUSIC BOX...IT'S BROKEN. ELETTRA, I'M SO SORRY... WHAT SHOULD I DO?

ARE YOU THINKING OF RETURNING TO THEM? YOU DARE TO DISOBEY ME...
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
YOU MUST LISTEN TO ME!
THUMP!
FWIP!
WAH!
YOU BLOCKED MY ATTACK! ARE YOU GOING TO RESIST ME?
SNIFF!

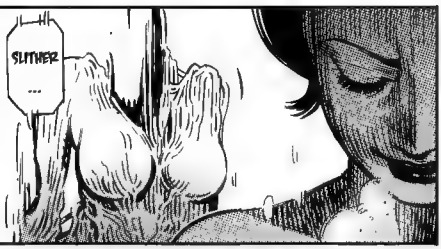
YOU CHALLENGE ME? I CREATED YOU!
DON'T FORGET WHO YOU ARE! YOU ARE MY DAUGHTER, THE FIRST MACHINES DAUGHTER!
BUT DOES THAT MEAN I SHOULD OBEY YOU?
YOU... ARE MY MOTHER!
I CREATED YOU! ALICE!
I'LL... GIVE YOU WHAT YOU WANT!
ALICE...

I'LL GIVE YOU ALL I HAVE!
RUMBLE
WHAT?
I'M SORRY! BUT I CAN'T LET THIS HAPPEN, THEY ARE MY FRIENDS AND I WILL RESIST YOU WITH ALL MY MIGHT!
WHAT IS THIS? YOU PLAN TO FIGHT ME? THIS IS JUST SAD! WHAT CAN YOU EVEN DO TO ME?

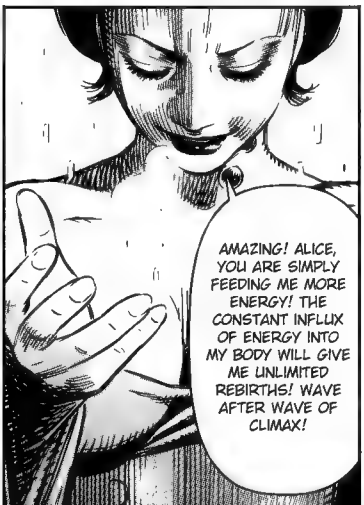
POWER?
I'LL USE ALL MY POWER!
ALICE!
NO! MOTHER IS GROWING BIGGER!
UH...
POWER! UNLIMITED POWER!
FWIP ...
RUSTLE ...

HAA... THIS FEELING ...

UH...


SLITHER ...

I FEEL IT TOO!


AMAZING! ALICE, YOU ARE SIMPLY FEEDING ME MORE ENERGY! THE CONSTANT INFLUX OF ENERGY INTO MY BODY WILL GIVE ME UNLIMITED REBIRTHS! WAVE AFTER WAVE OF CLIMAX!

I LIVE AGAIN!
POWER ...
THIS FEELING... IT'S TOO MUCH!
POWER!
WHAT'S GOING ON?
IT'S A CONSTANT INFLUX OF ENERGY!

ALICE ...

AHH... THERE'S SO MANY OF THEM! MORE OF THAT WOMAN ARE APPEARING!

HAA... IT'S MINE NOW!
HEY! THAT'S MY BODY!

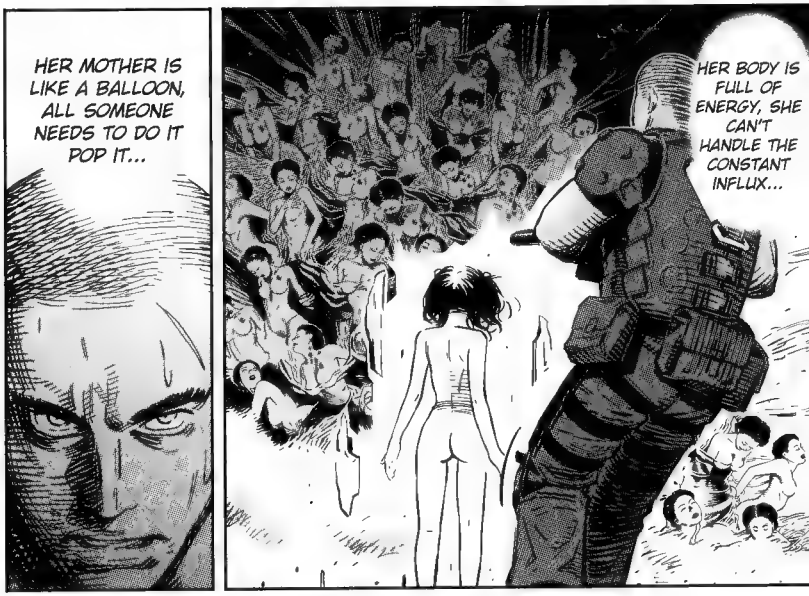
HMM ...
WHAT? NO! ALICE, WAIT!

MORE ENERGY ...
POWER ...
HAA ...
REBIRTH!
I..
I'M THE BEST!
HEY...

MOM... PLEASE... FORGIVE ME...

IT'S CROWDED ...
WATCH IT...
HEY...

MOTHER ... FORGIVE ME!
STOP IT! ALICE! I WANT YOU TO STOP! DO YOU WANT TO DESTROY ME?


HER MOTHER IS LIKE A BALLOON, ALL SOMEONE NEEDS TO DO IT POP IT...
HER BODY IS FULL OF ENERGY, SHE CAN'T HANDLE THE CONSTANT INFLUX...

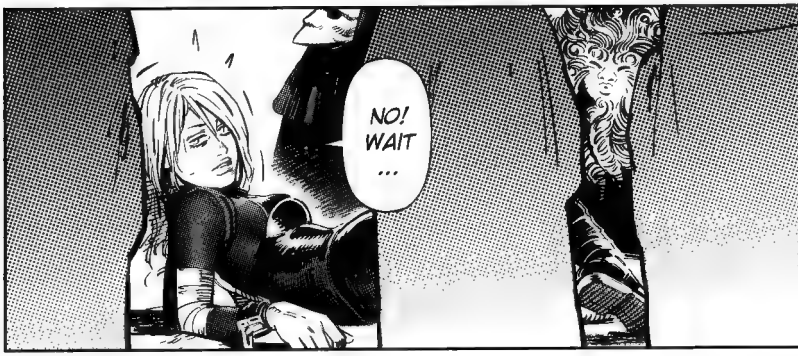
!
I'LL LIGHT THE FUSE...
CLICK!

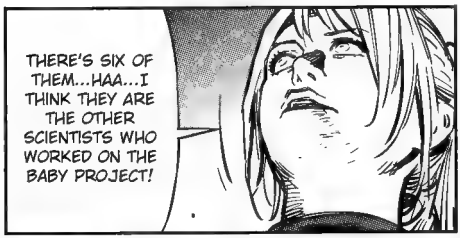
!
BOOM
RUMBLE

BZZ
...
CLANG
...
CHIRP
...

HEY! STOP! WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

...WHAT JUST HAPPENED? THERE WERE SO MANY OF THEM...

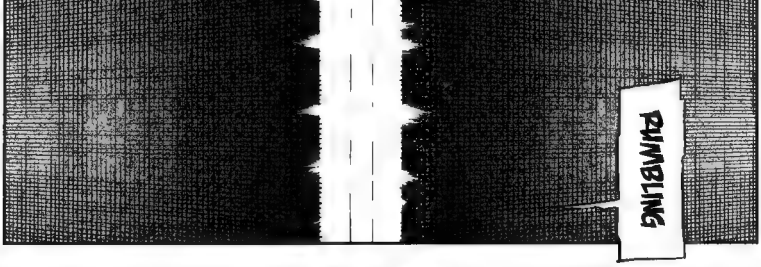

NO! WAIT ...

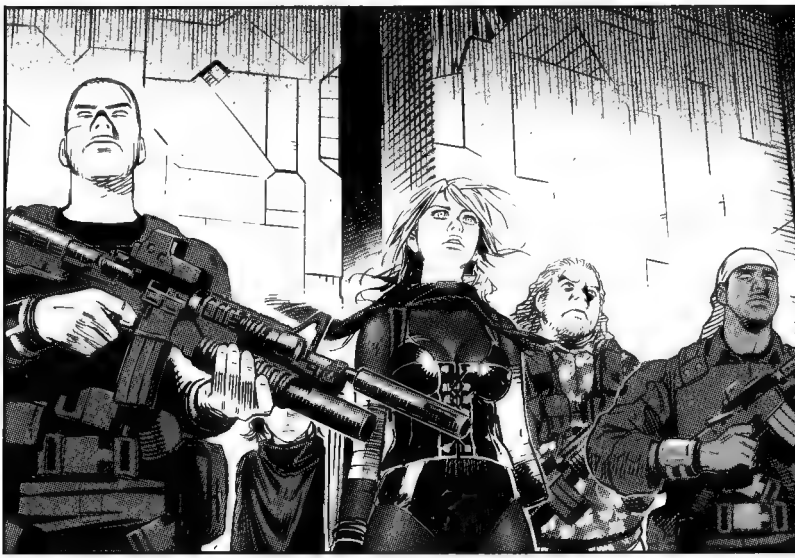

THERE'S SIX OF THEM...HAA...I THINK THEY ARE THE OTHER SCIENTISTS WHO WORKED ON THE BABY PROJECT!

ARE THESE THINGS... HEALING ME?

...DID THAT MOTHER TURN THEM INTO THIS?

HUH?
THE PAIN IS GONE...
.....
THEY... DISAPPEARED?


RUMBLING



WITH THE MOTHER DEAD, THE MACHINES ARE GOING CRAZY!
ROAR

ROAR!
ROAR!
ROAR!
SHUT UP, YOU NOISY BUNCH! I'LL KILL YOU!
SO... ANY LAST REGRETS?
THIS IS IT... IT'S THE ONLY WAY OUT, ONLY CERTAIN DEATH AWAITS US NOW!
I'VE NO REGRETS!
REGRETS? SURE, I'VE GOT PLENTY! BUT RIGHT NOW ONE THING IS SURE, MY BLOOD IS BOILING!
I DON'T REALLY WANT TO DIE, BUT I GUESS IT CAN'T BE HELPED.

LET'S GET 'EM!

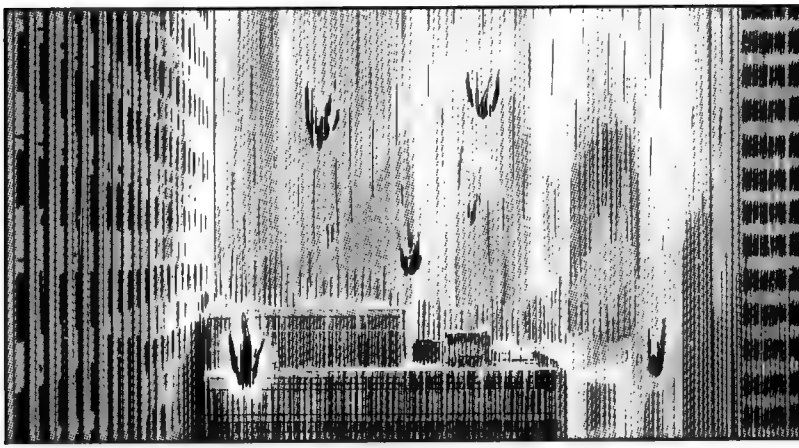
EVERY-
ONE...

SMASH!
DING, DING, THUMP!
SHAAA
SLICE
...
SPLASH!
BZZ...
RUSTLE
...
SWISH
...

IT'S RAIN! IT'S POURING DOWN!
I CAN'T HEAR THE SOUND OF THE LOUD RAIN, I CAN'T HEAR THE SOUNDS OF BATTLE ...I CAN'T EVEN HEAR MYSELF CRYING...

ALL I CAN DO IS LOOK AT THE SKY, FEELING THE RAIN HIT MY BODY...AND THE PAIN OF MY APPOROACHING DEATH!
I FELL DOWN ...
THIS IS IT...
NO! IT'S SOME-THING ELSE!
WHAT'S GOING ON? DID TIME STOP?

THE MACHINES HAVE STOPPED MOVING!
THEY FELL DOWN IN THE RAIN...
ONE BY ONE...
AND A MOMENT LATER, I UNDER-STOOD...



REMEMBER YOU ASKED WHAT KIND OF ABILITIES WE DEFECTIVES HAVE...
WE CAN FLY!
YOU CAN'T GIVE IN TO DESPAIR ...WHEN YOU GET TO ALICE IN THE TOWER I'LL COME AND PICK YOU GUYS UP.

NO
.....

THE DEFECTIVES FELL IN THE RAIN, SHARING THEIR RESTING PLACE WITH THE MACHINES...
IF THE HEAVY RAIN SYMBOLIZED ANYTHING, IT WAS HUMANITIES TEARS...

AND THUS THE RAIN SPREAD ALL ACROSS THE GLOBE... THEY WERE "ALICE'S TEARS", BUT GOD WAS CRYING TOO.
THE SURVIVING HUMAN POPULATION SAW THIS RAIN AS A SIGN AND BEGAN TO REVEAL THEMSELVES ...

THE RAIN TOUCHED EVERYWHERE AND EVERYTHING, ALL THE MACHINES WERE DEACTIVATED ...

AFTERWARDS, LEON AND I LIVED TOGETHER ON A HILL...

AS FOR H, HE DISAPPEARED.

JIM RETIRED FROM THE ARMY, BUT LATER REJOINED

A FEW YEARS LATER BALAN BECAME DIRECTOR OF NATIONAL SECURITY ...

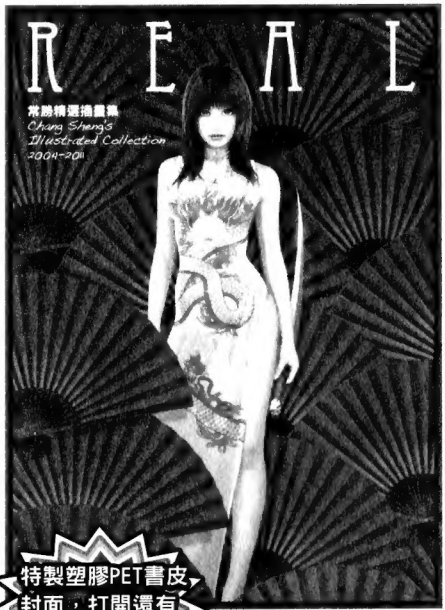
PROFESSOR NOHMAN RAISED HIS ARMS UP AND DIED IN THE HEAVY RAIN...

AS FOR ALICE...

LEON AND I STOOD THOUGHTFULLY ON A HILL, WATCHING THE PEOPLE'S BRAVE EFFORTS TO GRADUALLY RESTORE THE CITY BACK TO NORMAL...
EVERYTHING GOT BETTER... THE NIGHTMARE WAS OVER.

SHE'S A LITTLE OLDER, AND STILL HANGS AROUND... BUT THAT'S A STORY FOR ANOTHER TIME...
全篇完

常勝首部個人畫冊誕生！



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我…作了一個夢…夜晚，我獨自一個人坐在客廳，看著電視機傳來的影像，我想不起為什麼？但漸漸地，看著電視的我眼淚不斷地落下…

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